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## 2 PHILADELPHIA MEN ACCUSED OF A CONSPIRACY TO STEAL LIQUOR FROM PLANT OF WILSON DISTILLING CO.

Leo Kasperzak and William Kelly Held Under \$2,000 Bail Each — Turned Over to Bristol and Bucks Co. Authorities — Arrested At Scene Of the Rendezvous

By International News Service  
PHILADELPHIA, Apr. 27 — Two Philadelphians, accused of conspiracy to steal 15 cases of liquor from the Wilson Distilling Company, Inc., at Bristol, today were held in \$2,000 bail each and turned over to Bucks County authorities.

The defendants are: Leo Kasperzak, 33, of North Mascher street, near Dauphin, a driver for the Pyramid Motor Freight Corp.; and William Kelly, 33, of North Fourth street near Dauphin, a clerk at the Bristol liquor manufacturing plant.

Police Magistrate William Hagen held each under \$2,000 bail at 10:30 this morning following a brief hearing at the Paul and Rhawn streets police station in northeast Philadelphia.

They were then turned over to Linford J. Jones, chief of police of Bristol borough; Anthony Russo, chief Bucks County detective; and Charles R. Aita, Bristol constable. According to Patrick Kennedy, a detective attached to the Fourth Philadelphia Detective Division, Kelly approached Kasperzak yesterday afternoon when the latter arrived with his truck at the Wilson Distilling plant. Kelly told Kasperzak, Kennedy reported, that if he would haul away 15 extra cases he could have five of them for himself.

In accordance with this agreement, Kasperzak loaded the 15 cases on his truck and drove off shortly before five o'clock yesterday afternoon. Later, however, he became conscience-stricken and reported the theft to his boss. The latter notified the Ryan Detective Agency, which, in turn, communicated with the Fourth Detective Division.

Both Kelly and Kasperzak were taken into custody last night when Kelly arrived at a prearranged rendezvous in North Philadelphia to divide the spoils, Kennedy related.

### Transfers of Real Estate

Solebury twp.—John Major et ux to William J. Cooper et ux, lot, \$2500.

Northampton twp.—Estate of John M. Kelly to Anna L. Mearns, lots, \$200.

Hulmeville—Charles L. Laros to Spencer Albert Tomlinson, lot.

Hulmeville—Charles F. Laros to Ferdinand Reetz et ux, lot.

Langhorne—Elizabeth Geiss to Archie F. Kaufman et ux, lot, \$3200.

Bensalem twp.—Stanley Mandelski to Frank Wilbert et ux, lots, \$150.

Bensalem twp.—Lawrence Palicki et ux to Roch Wojciechowski et ux, lots, \$400.

Middletown twp.—Howard H. Church et ux to Paul C. Wagner et ux, 56 acres.

Middletown twp.—Antonio Matteucci to Bright Sage, lots.

Perkasie, third ward—Gustav Duerr et ux to Harvey Cope, lot, \$3450.

Lower Southampton twp.—G. Allen Cameron et ux to Gardiner Ryan, lots.

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Buckingham twp.—William Wiggins to Henry Shelly, 1½ acres, \$162.50.

### P. O. TO CLOSE AT 6 P. M.

It is announced by Bristol post office officials that effective May 1st the Bristol post office will be closed at six p. m., instead of at 6:30. This move is necessary, it is stated, due to scarcity of help, and the extra amount of mail.

### LOCAL WEATHER OBSERVATIONS

FOR 24 HOUR PERIOD ENDING 9 A. M. AT ROHM & HAAS WEATHER OBSERVATORY BRISTOL, PA.

#### Temperature Readings

Maximum ..... 70 F  
Minimum ..... 43 F  
Range ..... 27 F

#### Hourly Temperatures

8 a. m., yesterday	58
9	61
10	62
11	62
12 noon	66
1 p. m.	67
2	66
3	69
4	70
5	71
6	68
7	65
8	61
9	59
10	57
11	56
12 midnight	54
1 a. m., today	51
2	49
3	46
4	44
5	44
6	44
7	43
8	48

P. C. Relative Humidity ..... 39  
Precipitation (inches) ..... 0

#### TIDES AT BRISTOL

High water ..... 9:55 a. m.; 10:30 p. m.  
Low water ..... 4:29 a. m.; 5:07 p. m.

## What You Buy With WAR BONDS

Navy Mine Sweepers

Another of the auxiliary vessels in our Navy is the Minesweeper. Its job is to clear harbor waters or other waters infested with the deadly floating or anchored mines so that our ships can get through. The minesweeper costs about \$3,500,000.



The task of our blue jackets in this dangerous work is a tough one. They need skill and the best protection and equipment we can give them with our purchases of War Bonds and other Government Bonds. They give their lives—You lend your money." U. S. Treasury Department

## THE WAR AT A GLANCE

By International News Service

While Axis armies were being pushed back still farther today in Tunisia and licked further wounds on the Russian front, the German industrial city of Duisburg dug out from under one of the Royal Air Force's aimed concentrated bombardments.

The German radio acknowledged only an attack on western Germany by British bombers but the Air Ministry said that it was Duisburg, large inland port at the junction of the Rhine and Ruhr Rivers which was assaulted in "great strength."

The bomber raid followed earlier attacks by light mosquito bombers on railroad centers in northwest Germany, the Rhineland and near the River Loire in France.

Meanwhile on the Tunisian front advance guards of Allied armies continued their pressure against the cornered Axis armies all along the 140-mile front in bloody fighting.

At the northern end of the battle

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## HERE AND THERE IN BUCKS COUNTY TOWNS

Activities of Interest To All In The Various Communities

### GLEAINED BY REPORTERS

Supervising Principal G. Raymond Fodd has announced May 24th as the tentative date for Pleasant Valley high school commencement.

The address will again be given by Rev. Imre Kovacs, Phoenixville, who has been procured for a return engagement by popular request. He will speak on the topic, "Democracy, the Keynote of the Future."

The baccalaureate sermon will be delivered in Springfield Church on May 23rd, by Rev. Rufus Kern, of Hamburg, formerly pastor of the Zion Hill church.

The permanent canteen, planned by the Victory Club of Doylestown, is ready to go into operation as soon as a building is found, it was announced at a meeting of the club held in Doylestown Presbyterian Educational building, last week.

A canteen party for sailors from the Naval Training Station at Pitsa has been scheduled for Thursday evening in the educational building.

Members of the club made plans to attend the P. T. A. movie benefit in a group Tuesday evening. Following the movie, a spaghetti dinner has been planned.

While employees were blasting for the construction of the "Big Inch," the pipe line which will extend from the mid-West to the Atlantic coast, a large window pane in the kitchen at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter D. Yates, near Lahaska, was shattered.

Having found a spot which required blasting on Wednesday, the men set off the blast, and the concussion caused the pane to break. One of the employees told Mrs. Yates that had one

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## 10,000 MEN ALREADY IDLE IN NEARLY SCORE OF BITUMINOUS PITS IN WESTERN PENNA.; DISTRICT SEETHES WITH UNREST

Miners Await Instructions from Their Policy Committee Which Convenes in New York This Afternoon — Fear Further Spread of Paralyzing Strikes With Great Loss of Tonnage

PITTSBURGH, Apr. 27 — (INS) — With 10,000 men already idle in nearly a score of district coal pits, the western Pennsylvania bituminous field seethed with unrest today as the miners awaited formal instructions from their policy committee in New York this afternoon.

The sporadic walkouts, however, were costing around 50,000 tons of war-vital coal per day, and a further spread of the paralyzing strikes, with an even higher tonnage loss, was feared.

Steel officials, with sub-normal supplies of coal above ground, regarded the walkouts as a grave threat to continued production of vital war materials.

Although most of the major manufacturers had from two weeks' to a month's reservoir of coal, there were some operations that had as little as ten days' supply on hand. Spokesmen indicated that production would be hampered within three days and curtailed in a week if the strikes con-

tinued that long.

The War Labor Board's latest appeal failed to make much of an impression on the miners overnight. A slight break did appear, however, when two mines in Fayette County, voted to resume work, but these were more than offset by other work stoppages.

The 900 employees of Weirton Steel Corporation's Isabella Mine decided to return to work today after both union and company officials warned that grievances could not be considered until operations were resumed. The Gates Mine of the H. C. Frick Coke Company, near Masontown, also resumed production after a short-lived strike of its 400 employees.

Elsewhere over the coal field, embargoes on work in Washington, Fayette, Greene, Indiana and Cambria Counties, there was little change in the situation and little room for optimism.

All four of Jones & Laughlin Steel

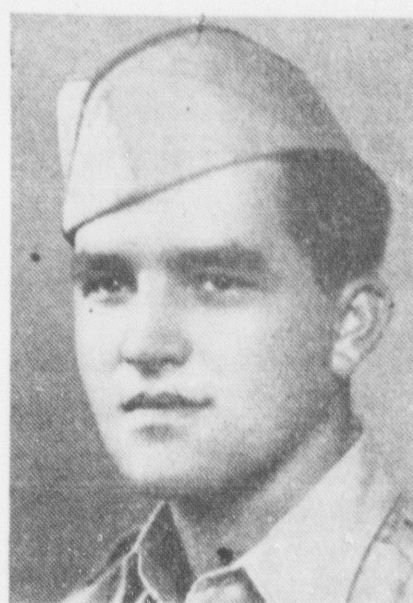
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## STAFF SGT. G. ROBERT BROWN MODESTLY INSISTS "NOTHING EXCITING HAPPENED OVER THERE," DESPITE 35 FLIGHTS TO BOMB TARGETS; MANY CRASHES

With 340 combat hours to his credit, during which he served as either waist or tail gunner on a B-24 Liberator bomber, and with 35 flights during which enemy targets were bombarded and enemy fighters driven off each time—Staff Sgt. George Robert Brown still claims "nothing exciting happened over there."

The "over there" is the Middle East to "Bob," and his 15 day furlough which he is spending with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Brown, 349 Garfield street, came as a most welcome relief after being in the army since December, 1941, and in the Middle East since last July.

"We didn't do anything out of the ordinary," "Bob" insists. "Just say that I flew with the finest bunch of fellows in the world. They are tops." And in this manner he dismisses the 35 flights over assigned targets, an



STAFF SGT. GEO. ROBERT BROWN

## REPUBLICAN WOMEN TO MEET IN PHILADELPHIA

Bucks Council So Decides Due To Lack of Transportation Facilities

### TWO SESSIONS, MAY 7TH

With lack of transportation facilities making the usual spring session of Bucks County Council of Republican Women almost impossible, decision has been reached to conduct a meeting in Philadelphia, which city is easily accessible to women from all parts of Bucks.

The luncheon meeting is arranged for May 7th in the Corinthian Room of Strawbridge & Clothier. Morning meeting will be opened at 10:30, with business and reports of committee chairmen being heard. Mrs. Maude B. Coleman, inter-racial consultant of the Department of Welfare, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, Harrisburg, will be the guest speaker.

Luncheon is arranged for one p. m., with Mrs. M. Louise Rutherford, deputy attorney general, Commonwealth of Pa., speaking. Miss Eleanor Westlake, of Sellersville, will be the guest soloist, she being a student at the Philadelphia Conservatory of Music. Reservations are to be in the hands of Mrs. Samuel L. Althouse, South Chancellor street, Newtown, by May 5th.

Mrs. Howard Kooker, Jr., Quakertown, is president of the Bucks County organization.

## Easter Programs Are Well Given at Newportville

NEWPORTVILLE, Apr. 27 — Easter was observed in the Sunday School session at Newportville Community Church—Presbyterian. The young people had decorated the platform with Easter plants.

The following from the primary department favored with recitations: Raymond Given, Jr., Betty Keckler, Jane Potts, George Oldham, Grace Barclay, George Schumacher, Jr., song by Alice Brambley, Myron Mattocks and Ronnie Gernet. The primary department closed their program with a motion song.

The following from Mrs. Kohler's class sang an Easter song; the Misses Jane Wimmersberger, Ella and Evelyn Potts, Doris Sine, Jacqueline Lewis, Frances and Janet Mattocks, Elva Brambley, Anna White. From Mrs. Perpete's class, Bible verses were given by Emma Keckler, Eleanor Oldham, Dolores Forster; recitation by Marion Mattocks.

The following from Mrs. C. N. Inghram's class favored with a song, "Easter Bells"; the Misses Naomi Lowris, Janice Dewees, Ruth Mattocks, Elsie Oldham and Alice Backhouse. The Misses Janet Mattocks and Jane Wimmersberger then sang a duet. A vocal trio was given by Elva Brambley, Frances Mattocks and Julius Scheidle, accompanied by the Misses Louise Kohler on the piano and Janet Mattocks on the mandolin.

A talk was given the children by C. Burnley White, using flowers and a live rabbit as illustrations. The primary children received toy rabbits as Easter gifts.

### THE McHUGH FUNERAL

Funeral of Miss Kate McHugh, who died here on Sunday, will be held on Thursday from 4:45 Pine street. High Mass of Requiem will be said at 10 o'clock in St. Mark's Church. Burial will take place at Allentown with the W. I. Murphy Estate, funeral directors, in charge.

## Morrisville Man Wounded; One Receives Air Medal

It has been announced by the War Department that Pvt. John P. DeDrick, Morrisville, has been wounded in North Africa.

The War Department also announces that Pvt. John J. Beatty, Morrisville, has been awarded an Air Medal for outstanding aerial achievements in the Middle East.

Mr. and Mrs. Neal G. Miller, Beaver street, spent Saturday in Chester, visiting relatives.

## Hannah Hendrickson Is Shower Guest of Honor

Miss Hannah Hendrickson, Garden street, was the guest of honor at a miscellaneous shower held at the home of Mrs. Albert Gross, Jr., Pine street, Thursday night. The decorations were in red, white and blue. Games and dancing were followed by a repast. Favors were red, white and blue baskets filled with candy.

Those present: Mrs. Edward Hendrickson, Mrs. Roy Jenks, Mrs. James Hoffman, Mrs. Michael Keating, Mrs. William McHugh, Mrs. John Bassett, Mrs. Albert Gross, Sr., Mrs. Thomas Gross, Mrs. Joseph Gross, Mrs. Arthur Giberson, Mrs. Frank Dick, Misses Helen and Blanche Hoffman, Rita McHugh, Doris Giberson, Alberta Gross, Mary Martin, Agnes and Frances Gross, Bristol; Mrs. Marvin Allison, Morrisville.

## FEAST OF OUR LADY OF GRACE IS CELEBRATED

Rev. Fr. William McLaughlin, Washington, D. C., Sings Mass Here

### ORGANIZATION MEDALS

With the Feast of Our Lady of Grace observed at St. Ann's Catholic Church this morning, hundreds of parishioners participated in the Solemn High Mass and the procession through the streets of the parish which followed.

In the procession, mounted on a beautiful float, was the statue of the Blessed Mother, and a group of children from the parish, garbed as angels, surrounded it.

The Solemn High Mass, sung by the Rev. Fr. William McLaughlin, of Washington, D. C., started at 10 o'clock. The Rev. Fr. Peter Pincel, pastor, presented to each member of the recently-organized group "Our Lady of Grace," a medal of Our Lady of Grace attached to a pink ribbon.

The procession through the streets of the parish was participated in by the members of the priesthood, children of St. Ann's parochial school, members of Our Lady of Grace, a Philadelphia band, Holy Trinity Sisters, and members of the St. Ann's parish.

The girls of St. Ann's school were garbed in white, and many of the boys, serving as pages, were attractively costumed. All carried bouquets or wreaths of flowers.

## "Chemurgy" Address Is Presented Before Women

NEWTOWN, Apr. 27 — An address, "Chemurgy Comes to State Street," was given by Lawrence Pearson, last week, at the meeting of the Newtown New Century Club.

Introduced by Mrs. Raymond Taylor, chairman of the program committee, Mr. Pearson said that one of the most difficult problems confronting the farmers was how to dispose of their surplus products or waste material, but chemurgy, which really means putting chemistry to work for the farmer and indirectly for society in general, is solving this problem.

Speaking before approximately 30 persons, Mr. Pearson told how the practice of chemurgy results in the making of war material and wearing apparel of waste products on the farms. Many articles, including gun cotton and tooth paste tubes, it was explained, are made from waste cotton. Mr. Pearson explained also that skimmed milk, through the practice of chemurgy, can be converted into buckles, buttons, glue and fibres.

### NO CLASS TONIGHT

There will be no surgical dressing class in the community house tonight, due to the Rubinoff concert.

## LATEST NEWS BULLETINS

### Ferocious Fighting Rages in Tunisia

Allied Headquarters in North Africa—Fighting of "unabated ferocity" raged throughout the hills and valleys of Tunisia today as Allied forces drove steadily eastward on the roads leading to the capital city of Tunis.

Supported by American troops in front-line positions at strategic points, Gen. Sir Harold R. L. G. Alexander rammed a spearhead of the British First Army three miles to the east on both sides of Lake Kourzian to come within striking distance of the vital Pont Du Fahs-Tunis road.

At the same time, infantry troops farther to the north pressed Axis forces back to a point within eight miles of Tebourba.

Fourth day of the grand Allied offensive against Nazi Field Marshal Erwin Rommel's trapped armies forced the enemy dangerously threatened.

(Editor's note: A British broadcast heard by CBS said that British tanks had reached a point only four miles from the Pont Du Fahs-Tunis road.)

There was no sign, however, of any general Axis retreat. Latest reports said battles were continuing with undiminished violence throughout northern Tunisia.

### RAF Bombers Again Race Toward France

London—RAF bombers joined across the English channel toward France today in continuation of a round-the-clock aerial assault which saw the Nazi industrial city of Duisburg battered last night in one of the heaviest raids ever made against the Reich.

The fighter-escorted bomber formations flew over the English coast early this afternoon, apparently bound for Nazi-occupied France.

Last night's attack on Duisburg, bomb-battered industrial city in the heart of the German Rhineland, was described by Air Ministry officials as one of the heaviest assaults ever to hit the Reich.

The bombardment by an estimated force of between 300 and 400 of the heaviest planes in the RAF arsenal was made in "great strength" said the communiqué.

The Air Ministry disclosed that 17 of its huge bombers had been lost in the attack on Duisburg, one of the largest inland ports in Europe situated at the confluence of the Rhine and Ruhr rivers.

## ANOTHER BRISTOL MAN LOST IN WAR ZONE, LETTER STATES

Pvt. Salvatore Charles La Rosa, 26, Died in "Asiatic Area"

### DETAILS ARE NOT GIVEN

Recent Letters Stated He Was Moving Northward Toward China

Bristol has lost another young man in the global war, he being Pvt. Salvatore Charles LaRosa, 26, of No. 4 Green avenue.

Pvt. LaRosa, according to a telegram received yesterday noon from the War Department, "died April 12th in the Asiatic Area." Just what circumstances surrounded his death are not known by his relatives here.

According to Pvt. LaRosa's family the young man had been based in India, but recent letters informed that he was moving northward toward China.

Pvt. LaRosa, who during his youth attended Bristol high school, had prior to entering the army, been in partnership with his brother in a tailoring shop on Mill street.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. James LaRosa, of Green avenue. The late Pvt. LaRosa has two brothers in the service, Pvt. Frank LaRosa, now at Guadalcanal; and Pvt. Vito LaRosa, at Camp Lee, Va. Two sisters and another brother also survive, namely Mrs. Vincent Recupido, Philadelphia; Mrs. George Ciotti, 215 Jefferson avenue; and Samuel LaRosa, who expects to enter the service soon.

The young man trained in the states of Washington and Florida, and had been in India for about one year. He entered the army in October, 1941.

The telegram from the war department stated that a letter would follow.

## Elect Officers For The Perkase Women's Club

PERKASIE, Apr. 27 — Election of officers, the appointment of delegates to the Spring meeting of the Bucks County Federation of Women's Clubs which will be held in Doylestown this week, an interesting talk appropriate to the season and an unusually fine program of music featured the meeting of Perkase Women's Club in Fraternity Temple, on Thursday afternoon.

The report of the nominating committee was presented during the business session which was in charge of the retiring president, Mrs. Herbert J. Frame, by Mrs. William B. Moyer.

Results of the election were as follows: President, Mrs. Russell H. Crouthamel; vice president, Mrs. Lindsey Phoebe; recording secretary, Mrs. Martin Miller; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Leroy Kulp; and treasurer, Mrs. Willard B. Stover. Mrs. Crouthamel, who will be installed at the next meeting, was appointed to represent the club at the meeting of the State Federation of Women's Clubs in Harrisburg next month.

### FIREMEN MEET TONIGHT

A quarterly meeting of the members of the Bristol Consolidated Fire Department will be held this evening. The meeting will convene in the assembly room of the Municipal Building at eight o'clock. Routine business will be transacted and all members are urged to attend.

### IS BETROTHED

Peter Peters, Sr., Harrison street, announces the engagement of his daughter, Wilhelmina, to Ralph L. Scheffey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph B. Scheffey, Monroe street.

### WITH THE "SEABEES"

Fireman I/C Albert Paul, who enlisted in the "Seabees" of the U. S. Navy in October, 1942, has been transferred from Rhode Island to Guilford, Miss. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Paul, Pine street.

LONDON—(INS)—In Belgium, according to report, 14-year-olds are being taken from their parents by the Nazis and indentured to German "foster parents" as farm laborers.

## WHAT OUR BOYS ARE DOING TO WIN THE WAR

T/Sgt. Walter A. Fagan, Jr., having successfully completed his three months course at the Air Forces Officer Candidate School at Miami Beach, Florida, has received his commission as 2nd lieutenant in the Air Forces of the Army of the United States. His duties will be to direct vital administrative and supply operations of the rapidly expanding Army Air Forces ground forces, thus relieving trained pilots for full time flying duty.

As a civilian, Lt. Fagan, Jr., lived at Bristol, Pa. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter M. Fagan, live at R. D. No. 1, Bristol, Pa.



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## TWO BATTLES

Gen. Bernard Montgomery and his Eighth Army already have won one of the decisive battles of history. Only a few months ago, Hitler still had an excellent chance of winning the war—and of winning it in the Middle and Near East. If Rommel had succeeded in his drive for the Suez Canal, Germany and Japan even now might be near to joining forces.

Rommel didn't succeed because he ran up against the British Eighth Army, which, under the right leadership, was a better fighting force than Rommel's own hard-hitting Africa Korps. The Eighth Army found such leadership in the person of General Montgomery who took over, just as things looked blackest for the Allied cause.

Montgomery proved himself even a greater master of swift, mechanized warfare in the desert than the cagy, cunning Rommel. The two generals started off with armies approximately equal in manpower and in armor, although the Germans were supposed to have a distinct advantage in artillery, while the British unquestionably had the upper hand in the air.

The paramount importance of this air ascendancy, in which American planes and fliers played a part, has been acknowledged by Montgomery. Another element in victory—an element which Montgomery would be the first to concede—was cool, intelligent planning by Montgomery's superior in the Middle East command, General Alexander.

Now Alexander is in command of all ground forces, British, American and French, serving under Generalissimo Eisenhower in the Battle of Tunisia—which might be called the Second Battle of Africa. In the First Battle of Africa, in which Montgomery defeated Rommel, the British ended the threat of Axis conquest of the Near and Middle East. In the Second Battle of Africa the Allies have a chance to clear the way for swift invasion of Europe.

The First Battle of Africa has been won, and the Allies are making splendid progress in winning the Second Battle. There is hard fighting ahead, but no doubt as to the outcome. The best proof that the end in Tunisia is approaching is found in the gun-like sounds emanating from Italy.

## THE PLASTIC PERIOD

Probing into the postwar period has become a favorite indoor sport with unprofessional prophets, and in no field are they more active than in that in which the coming wonders in plastics are exploited.

One feature of these forecasts is the unanimity with which the prophets dwell upon a postwar economic situation that will help give the plastics a warm welcome. That economic situation is pictured as showing the community short of durable goods because of war restrictions and a population eager to acquire novelties.

So the public is expected to seize eagerly upon translucent, non-corrosive window screens, table cloths from which ink or gravy spots can be wiped with a wet cloth, bright upholstery amenable to a similar method of cleaning, water pipes that require no fittings, standard size bath tubs that will weigh only six pounds, soybean blankets and glass stoves before which the family can whet its collective appetite by watching the progress of the victuals in the oven.

# NEWS BRIEFS FROM SUBURBAN TOWNS

## HULMEVILLE

An Easter week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Sutton was Mrs. William Subers, Bristol Township. A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Rumpf, of Langhorne, at Abington Hospital, on Easter Day. Little Christine Rumpf is paying a visit to her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Reginald Webb, here.

## CROYDON

Several members of Wilkeson Memorial Methodist Church, Croydon, visited the Rev. and Mrs. George Lurwick at their home in Cornwells Heights, last week. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Dolde, Mr. and Mrs. Perry Cowgill and fam-

ily. Mr. and Mrs. Doran Edwards and children, Mrs. William Labor and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wilkinson.

On Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Andrews entertained their son, Corp. George E. King, who is stationed with an air corps unit in New York City. Mr. and Mrs. Andrews visited their son in New York over the Easter holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wilkinson were Wednesday visitors of their niece, Mrs. Harold Fitch, Cornwells Heights.

## NEWTOWN

Mrs. David Watson and daughter Betsy, are in Miami, Fla., for a 10-day trip.

Mrs. Lawrence J. Pearson, of Newtown, has returned home after a few weeks' trip South. She visited Capt. and Mrs. Stanley B. Sutton, in Colum-

bus, Ga., and also an aunt in Jacksonville, Fla., while away.

About 30 members of the Newtown high school attended the ninth annual career conference at Temple University. They were accompanied by Miss Evelyn Davies, Robert Burrage and George Rishell, of the faculty.

Lieutenant Raymond Hennessy, U. S. N., spent a few days at his home. Lieutenant Hennessy is stationed at Bainbridge, Md.

The Newtown League of Women Voters will meet at the home of Mrs. Leroy Nixon, 20 North Lincoln avenue, on Thursday at 2:30 p. m. The Rev. Chester J. Buzzard, pastor of the Methodist Church, will speak on "Youth Problems in War Times."

Edward H. Siatoski, son of Mrs. Martin Siatoski, of Liberty street, is studying aircraft mechanics in the army air forces technical training command at the Casey Jones School of Aeronautics, Newark.

## FALLSINGTON

The school budget for the school year 1943-44 has been prepared and is open for inspection in the office of the Fallsington School. A budget will be adopted by the school board on May 13th, eight p. m., at the Fallsington School.

Miss Elizabeth Mayer, a former teacher in the Falls Township School, who has joined the WAVES, spent the Easter holidays in Reading, Pa.

Miss Helen McCloskey spent the week-end near Washington, D. C. George Baldwin and family have moved from near Langhorne to the Snipes apartment in Fallsington.

Albert Hibbs is building an addition to his home.

Mr. and Mrs. William Wolfe and children, Lois, Carol, Evelyn, Keith, Dale and Glen, have returned from a visit to Coatesville, Pa., Maryland and Delaware.

The Get-Together Club met at the home of Mrs. Herman Heavener.

Mrs. Elizabeth M. Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Landis, of Morrisville, entertained at dinner recently for Mrs. Clarence Landis, Sr., and Mrs. Francis Smith, of Morrisville; Louise White Watson, of Fallsington; Mrs. Mary F. Dunn, of Morris Heights, and Mrs. Annie T. O'Brien, of Trenton. The event marked Mrs. Elizabeth Smith's birthday anniversary. Both Mrs. Smith and Mrs. Landis are former residents of Fallsington.

## MARRIAGE LICENSES

Applications for marriage licenses have been made by the following:

Abraham D. Cook, 27, Perkaskie, and Lillian Iris Mahoney, 21, Perkaskie, D. C.

Edward McColegan, 21, and Anna Elmhich, 20, both of Andalusia.

Harold Dunlap Reed, 37, Perkaskie, and Charissa Shaw, 32, Quakertown.

## RATIONING CALENDAR

(Here are the dates which it is important for you to remember in connection with the rationing program.)

April 30—Last day to use A, B, C and D series of red stamps in War Ration Book No. 2 for meat, butter, cheese and fats.

May 3—Start of 11-day period for wholesalers and retailers of meat, cheese, butter and fats to register with ration boards for allowable point inventories. Deadline is May 14.

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**SATURDAY EVENING**  
May 1st, at 8 o'Clock  
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For All — At  
**Newport Fire Co. No. 1**  
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Help Uncle Sam . . . plant Stark's Wonder Baby Fruit Trees  
Quick Bearing, Require Small Space  
Plant 2 in your front yard  
**DEADLINE FOR SPRING DELIVERY—MAY 1ST**  
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Many thanks to my Courier readers for making me the champion fruit tree and shrubbery salesman in Bucks County.  
Write for details and free war time catalog. Easy payment plan. Pay as trees grow.  
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May 31—Last day to use Coupon No. 12 for 5 pounds of sugar.

Deadline for C gasoline ration book holders to get their tires inspected under the OPA's tire inspection program.

June 15—Coupon No. 17 in Ration Book No. 1 is needed for the purchase of one pair of shoes until this date.

June 15—Last day to use Coupon No. 17 in War Ration Book No. 1 for one pair of shoes.

June 30—Deadline for B gasoline ration book holders to get their tires inspected. Deadline for A book holders

is September 30.  
July 21—Last day to use A 5 gasoline ration coupons. A 6 coupons become valid July 22.

## HARDING KIN IN ARMY

MARION, O.—(INS)—George W. De Wolfe, grandson of the late Florence Kling Harding, wife of the former president, has joined the army ferry service command and is in training at a Leroy, N. Y., flying school. His wife and two children remain in Marion.

## CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING

All copy must be received not later than 10 a. m., for publication on that day. Minimum cost, 25 cents. When insertions are not consecutive, one-day rate applies. Special long-term rates furnished upon request.

## Announcements

### Deaths

McHUGH—At Bristol, Pa., April 25, 1943, Kate McHugh, daughter of the late Elizabeth and Cornelius McHugh. Relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral from her late residence, 646 Pine St., Thursday, at 8:30 a. m. High Mass of Requiem at 10 o'clock in St. Mark's Church. Interment in Allentown, Pa.

### Funeral Directors

A CONVENIENT PLAN—For moderate funerals, William I. Murphy Est., 316 Jefferson ave., Bristol, Pa., ph. 2417  
MOLDEN FUNERAL SERVICE—Bristol, Pa. Within the means of all. Phone 2217 or 2169.

### Personals

HIROHITO—And his barbaric war lords will be pleased if you don't attend Plaque Meeting in Karp's hall tomorrow night at 7. Disappoint them by attending! Wm. J. Dougherty, general chairman.

### Strayed, Lost, Found

LOST—Sugar ration book, on Saturday, Mary Mitchell, 839 Pine street, Bristol.  
LOST—Ration Book No. 2, John Erdy and Mary Drotter, Maynes Lane and State Road, Croydon.  
LOST—Diamond ring, vic. of Mill St., Bristol. Reward. Finder, call Bristol 7429.  
LOST—Ration Book No. 2, Barbara Mae and Olga Thompson, Patterson Ave., Croydon.

## Automotive

**Automobiles for Sale**  
BEFORE YOU BUY—That used car, look at our selection. Simpson Chevrolet, Inc., 222 E. Bridge St., Morrisville.

### Strayed, Lost, Found

LOST—Ladies' gold filled Elgin watch, elastic band, Old Steel Ave., West Bristol. Rew. Phone Bristol 7411.

## Business Service

**Building and Contracting**  
ELECTRICAL CONTRACTOR—George P. Bailey, Phone Bristol 7125.

FOR ANY CONSTRUCTION—Maintenance or repairs call Bristol 2400 or Langhorne 2244. Financing arranged.

### Repairing and Finishing

HOUSEFURNISHINGS

REPAIRING—Refinishing, reupholstering furniture, curtain & slip covers, made to order; estimates furnished with no obligation.

FREDERICK C. MORRELL, Prospect & Station Aves., Langhorne—Phone Newtown 2084.

## Employment

**Help Wanted—Female**  
WAITRESS—Must be over 21. Apply to Bristol House, 4 Mill street.

**WOMAN OR GIRL**—To work in kitchen. Apply in person. Keystone Hotel, Bath & Other Sts.

**GIRLS**—To work at soda fountain. Full or part time. No exp. neces. Apply to 41 Straus, 407 Mill St.

**LOOPERS**—Steady day work, 40 hour week, on all cotton, in essential trade. Phillymade Hosiery, 6 Main St., Croydon.

**GIRL**—For soda fountain work. Apply Pappan's Candy Store, 207 Mill St.

**Help Wanted—Male**  
DRIVER-SALESMEN—Retail bakery routes, 5 day week, average earnings \$50 to \$55. Apply Dugan Brothers Highway 25, Burlington, N. J.

**LABORERS**—& carpenter's helpers. Excel. pay. Steady work. Apply on job, Hillcrest Ave., Morrisville. See Philip Cordisco or phone Bristol 2400, Penn Valley Constructors.

**14 MEN**—Wanted for various mill jobs. Apply at Paterson Parcelment Paper Co., or phone for applications to Bristol 822.

**PIN BOYS**—Must be 16 years of age and have working papers. Bristol Bowling Center.

**BOY WANTED**—16 or 17 years old, to work in greenhouse. Phone 2118. Yeagle, Bath Rd., Bristol.

## LEGAL

### NOTICE

**PUBLIC AUCTION SALE**  
Of Frank C. LaRue, of his farm situated at Buck Road and Langhorne Road, near Holland post office, Holland, Pa., April 28, at 1 p. m. Selling all stock, crops and all machinery. It takes to operate a well-equipped farm, including a Case tractor and cultivator, attachment, and a good International truck that will carry six tons. Selling goods as farm has been disposed of.  
NEWLIN BROWN, Auctioneer

### ESTATE NOTICE

Estate of Harry W. Brooks, deceased, late of Bristol Borough, Bucks County, Pennsylvania.  
Letters testamentary on the above estate have been granted to the undersigned, who requests all persons having claims or demands against the estate of the decedent to make known the same and all persons indebted to the decedent to make payment, without delay, to  
SAMUEL BROOKS, Executor,  
23 Clinton Ave., Merchantville, N. J.

or to his attorney,  
JOHN P. BETZ, JR.,  
219 E. 11th St.,  
Bristol, Pa.

## Financial

### Home Loans

REFINANCE THAT COSTLY MORTGAGE—On our low cost plan! Ask for full information. FIRST FEDERAL SAVINGS & LOAN ASSOC. OF BUCKS CO., 118 Mill St., Bristol.

## Livestock

### Dogs, Cats, and Other Pets

COCKER SPANIEL—Puppies, A. K. C., Reg. Ped. James Marra, Ford Rd. & Hilltop Ave., Fergusonsville, 1 1/2 block below Newportville Road.

### Horses, Cattle, Other Stock

FRESH GOATS—With kids. Charles Goodbred, Newportville, Ph. Bristol 7813.

## Merchandise for Sale

### Articles for Sale

SMALL CREAM SEPARATOR—Good cond. reads call bet. 9 & 12 a. m. at 348 Jackson St.  
POOL TABLE—A-1 cond. Apply 422 Washington St., after 4 p. m.

### Boats and Accessories

12 FT. SAILBOAT—Barnegat Snork Box; also 30 ft. cruiser. Call Bristol 678 bet. 9 a. m. and 5 p. m. or Cornwells after 5 p. m.

### Business and Office Equipment

WALNUT FLOOR CASE—Practically new, 4' long & 4' high. Inquire at Barnfield's Store, Walnut St.

### Household Goods

FURNITURE—Mostly bedding. Call Cornwells 6548-W.

### Seeds, Plants, Flowers

TOPSOIL—5-ton truck load \$5. Evergreen trees, all sizes, for sale. Landscaping, pruning, transplanting and gardening expert. Cemetery lots beautified. E. Constantin, 1229 Pine Grove, Phone 2450.

POTTED TOMATOES—Potted peppers, cabbage plants and egg plants. Shaw's Green House, Hulmeville, Phone Hulme 6542.

### Specials at the Stores

WALLPAPER—Complete room lots for any room in the house, size 9x13 \$1.15, incl. sidewall, ceiling & border. Charles Richman, 315 Mill street.

### Wanted—To Buy

HIGHEST CASH PRICES PAID—For scrap iron & metal, junk cars and trucks. Used auto parts for sale. Crawford's, Bath Road at Midway, Phone Bristol 7258.

WILL PURCHASE—Collapsible baby stroller, in good condition. Phone Bristol 3442.

WANTED—Small electric refrigerator. Good cond. Phone Bristol 3180.

### Rooms without Board

FURNISHED ROOM—Suitable for two girls. Double bed. All conv. Phone Bristol 2554.

FURNISHED ROOM—In new home; also garage for rent. Apply 809 3rd Ave., Bristol.

### Wanted—Rooms or Board

WANTED—1 or 2 rooms in a home for a mother and 3 children. Assistance needed with children while mother is working. Write Box 463, Courier.

### Apartments and Flats

LANGHORNE MANOR—Modern 5 rm. apt. & garage. Private Phone Lang. 2533 between 9 & 11 a. m.

### Houses for Rent

BUNGALOW—3 rm., \$17 month. Elec. & water. Charles Goodbred, Newportville, Phone Bristol 7813.

### Real Estate For Sale

#### Houses for Sale

A FEW MODERN HOMES—Are still available for defense workers. Call Bristol 2400 for appointment. Penn Valley Constructors, Inc.

A LARGE 9 ROOM HOUSE—For sale, all conv., situated on Bath St. with large plot of ground and outbuildings. Suitable for rooming house. Price very reasonable. Possession at once. Also other bargains. Charles La Polla, 1418 Farragut ave., phone Bristol 652.

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## Parties

## Social Events

## Activities

## Marion E. Wright Enlists In Women's Marine Corps Reserve

Miss Marion Elizabeth Wright, Pine street, was sworn in on Friday as a private in the Women's U. S. Marine Corps Reserve. Miss Wright expected to commence training between May 15th and June 1st or possibly sooner, at Hunter College, New York City. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William C. Wright, of Pine street.

Miss Wright, a graduate of Bristol high school, and who studied for three years at Rider College, Trenton, N. J., has been a typist at Rohm & Haas Co. plant.

She is a member of Bucks County Rescue Squad, and for the past three years served as a member of the ambulance crew, carrying out first aid duties each Sunday evening. For two years she has been secretary of the Auxiliary of the squad, resigning this post to take up her duties with the Marine Corps Reserve.

## Events For Tonight

Recital by Rubino, America's most popular instrumentalist, in Bristol high school auditorium.

## In a Personal Way - - -

INTERESTING bits of news mainly about people you know. A chronicle of the activities of the people of Bristol; their goings and comings. - - -

To arrange for publication of weddings, telephone The Bristol Courier, Bristol 846, notifying at least a few days in advance the date of ceremony. Engagement announcements must be submitted in writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Richman and son "Jack," and Robert Richman, Gibbstown, N. J., were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Lynch, Trenton avenue.

Mrs. Mary Mattick, Coatesville, has returned home from a two weeks' visit with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. William Cranston, Trenton avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. John Harnsen and family, East Paterson, N. J., spent the Easter holidays with Mrs. Harnsen's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel E. Moore, Wilson avenue.

Mrs. Arthur F. Fowler has returned to the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel E. Moore, Wilson avenue, after a two months' stay with her husband, Sgt. Arthur F. Fowler, at Camp Stoneman, Cal.

Pvt. James L. Bolton has returned to Parris Island, S. C., after ten days' furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bolton, Washington street.

PFC Leo Popkin, Camp Pendleton, Va., is spending ten days' furlough with his mother, Mrs. J. Popkin, Farragut avenue.

Mrs. A. Rose, New York City, spent the past week with Mr. and Mrs. David Norman, Mill street.

Mrs. James O'Donnell, Centraia, spent the past week with Miss Mary Harkin, Race street.

Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Lauchman, Lansdale, spent Easter with Mrs. Lauchman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Renk, Pond street.

Corp. Melvin Cox, Portsmouth, Va., spent a few days last week visiting

Today's Quiet Moment  
(By the Rev. James R. Gately)  
Pastor, Bristol Presbyterian Church

Almighty and eternal God, to whom all things are possible, make of us fit temples for the Spirit of the living God. May our lives be such that nothing incompatible to His presence exists in them. May our thoughts be such that will bring glory to His Name, and may our deeds be such that will advance the Kingdom of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ. Open our eyes, that we might comprehend our need for continual fellowship with Thee, and open our hearts, that we might accept that blessing as it is offered unto us. Through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cox, Lafayette street.

Corp. Jacob Hellings, Jr., who recently returned from a trip to Algeria, spent a few days last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Hellings, Market street.

Mrs. Edwin Ballinger, Maple Shade, and Miss Louise Smoyer, Radcliffe street, were hostesses to members of their Sunday School class of Bristol Methodist Church, taught by Mrs. William Mohr, at a meeting on Wednesday evening, at Mrs. Ballinger's

home. Business was discussed, games played and refreshments served. Sixteen members were present.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Royer, Milford, Conn., spent Friday until Monday with Mrs. Royer's mother, Mrs. Harry Pope, Beaver street. Mr. and Mrs. Royer spent Saturday with Mr. Royer's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Royer, Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Farino and son Thomas, Cornwells Heights, were Easter guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Ballinger, Maple Shade.

Sgt. Robert Harman, Mitchell Field, L. I., spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Harman, Spruce street.

Miss Mary Brown, Abington, spent Sunday until Tuesday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Brown, Garfield street.

Mrs. Elta McCarron and Miss Alice McCarron, Brooklyn, N. Y., spent the Easter holidays with Miss Mary Doyle, Otter street.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Fox, Mrs. A. Harton and son John, Doylestown, were Easter guests of Mr. and Mrs. John O'Brien and family, Winder Vil-

lage, and Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Roche, Locust street.

Mrs. Frank Nealis and Mrs. P. McGinlie, Pine street, spent Friday visiting Mrs. John Cunningham, Trenton, N. J.

## ON THE SCREENS

## GRAND THEATRE

Two players indelibly linked to the work of James Hilton, the novelist, work on a Hilton story together for the first time in "Random Harvest." Hilton's haunting romance of a lost memory, now showing at the Grand Theatre. They are Ronald Colman, who starred in "Lost Horizon," and Greer Garson, of "Goodbye, Mr. Chips."

"Random Harvest" sees Colman as an Englishman who loses all memory of his past during the first World War. He is befriended by a young actress, played by Miss Garson, and inspired to become a writer of ability. They marry and have a child.

Then an accident opens his mental door to his past but blanks out memory of his marriage and life after the war. He takes over his estates and becomes a powerful industrialist. The wife, maintaining silence regarding their relationship, becomes his secretary, and is of great help to him. Through her devotion the threads of

his immediate past are finally gathered together in a hauntingly charming climax.

## BRISTOL THEATRE

Screen star Glenda Farrell played the part of Gracious Lady while on the set of "A Night For Crime."

A junior star visited Miss Farrell's production, and asked the older actress for some tips on screen acting. And so for twenty minutes she gave the youngster a fund of advice that was priceless.

The young player was thrilled, and left with her eyes sparkling, thanking Miss Farrell profusely.

## RITZ THEATRE

A friendly ghost with a knack for being humorous, as well as tantalizing, makes for one of the merriest mystery comedies of the season, "The Man in the Trunk," which opens to-

day at the Ritz Theatre. "Isle of Missing Men," which opens an engagement at the Ritz Theatre tonight, would be a credit to any studio in the motion picture industry.

## NOTICE

Rohm & Haas Chemical Employee Workers  
NEXT REGULAR MEETING  
—of—  
A. F. of L. CHEMICAL WORKERS  
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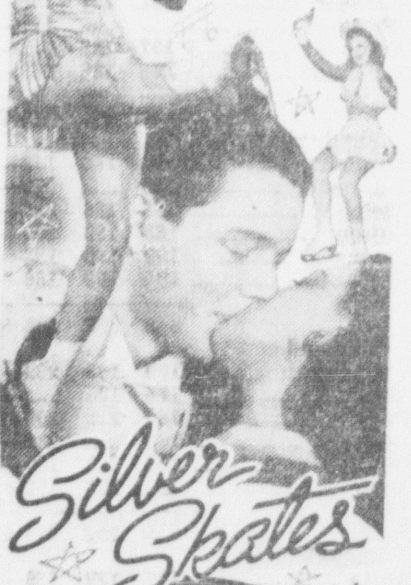
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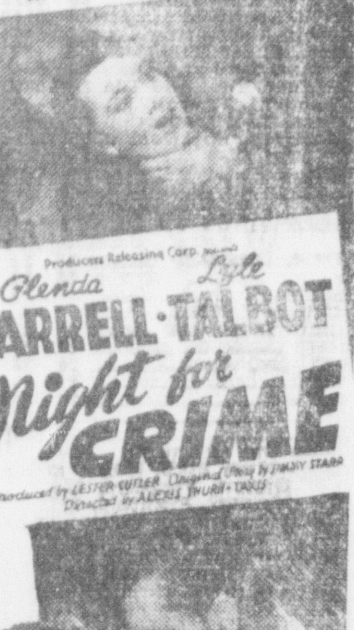
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EXTRA! POPEYE cartoon, "HULL OF A MESS"



## BOBO NEWSOM HAS HARD JOB AHEAD WITH DODGERS IN 1943

By John Cashman  
(I. N. S. Sports Writer)

NEW YORK, Apr. 27—(INS)—The toughest pitcher in baseball, Bobo Newsom, in signing up for 1943 with the Brooklyn Dodgers, took upon himself two burdens that might spell the end of his career after 12 years in big league ball with six different clubs. The first is responsibility in attempting to prove that he can do better than he did in 1942, when he won 11 and lost 17 with the Senators and, brought to Brooklyn, produced a 2 and 2 record. The second is Branch Rickey.

Rickey is a stern disciplinarian who despises drink and the rough word, and who will stand for no conduct other than that which is proper and becoming. Although he rode herd on the Gashouse Gang when he was with St. Louis, Rickey doesn't like erratic behavior. It is on the third, and last, count that Bobo is liable to lose out. For he is the most erratic and unpredictable creature on the mound today.

He has had an itinerary in and out of the major leagues that looks like an inspection tour of baseball: from Raleigh to Wilmington to Macon to Little Rock to Chicago to Albany to Los Angeles to St. Louis to Washington to Boston to St. Louis to Detroit to Washington to Brooklyn, all over a period of 14 years. In 1941, he was the highest paid pitcher in baseball; today he is a question mark, but despite his apparent fall from the heights, he is worth \$10,000 to Brooklyn.

He made a great impression the very first day he had a tryout with an organized team. He raved back and let loose a wild curve that beamed the manager of the team. The late Wilbur Robinson uncovered young Bobo in 1929 when the Brooklyn team was still called the Robins. Bobo pitched for Brooklyn against the Cincinnati Reds in a game that must have convinced Newsom that the Brooklyn club will be ever screwy, whether they are called the Robins or Dodgers.

Everyone expected Bobo to be wild that day. Fearing that he would break the skull of a Reds batter or cripple someone in the stands, Uncle Robbie kept careful watch over the new pitcher. But Bobo exhibited marvelous control, and gave up only two earned runs in the seven innings he pitched; the team behind him lost the game, 4-2. Babe Herman, who was forever falling flat on his face or letting fly balls bounce off his skull, drifted under a high ball and let it dribble out of his glove. When a Red base-runner dashed for second in a subsequent play, the ball was thrown into center field. Later, Bobo himself pounced on a bunt, lost the ball, looked around for a moment, and found everyone safe. Yep, that was Brooklyn and he was part of it.

Things were always happening to Bobo. After signing up with Chicago some years back, he broke his leg in an accident. Shortly after the leg mended, he visited a mule auction, was kicked by one of the critters, and that leg was shattered in the same place. Another time, he bought a shiny new car, loaded it up with new clothes, then lost everything when the car caught fire after it had been driven only about 20 miles.

Despite these misfortunes, he has courage of the more stirring sort. In 1935, as he was hurling for the Senators, a line drive cannon-balled into his kneecap. He pitched four more innings, and ran out two hits at the plate. When he limped off the field, he said: "I think my leg's broke." He pointed to the right knee. In the true Brooklyn tradition, that he had carried with him since 1929, X-rays proved his left kneecap was broken. Whether Bobo survives the rigors of the 1943 season and Mr. Rickey's discipline, only time can tell. But at least, he's had a lot of practice at surviving.

### BOWLING STANDINGS

FLEETWINGS TRAINER LEAGUE		
Tool and Die	Won	Lost
Spotweld	21	21
Accounting	20	20
K-9	20	20
Tool Design	20	20
Sheet Metal	20	20
Router	20	20
Machine Shop	20	20
Tool Inspection	20	20
Payroll	20	20
Individual high, single game		
P. Gerson, Accounting	225	
Individual high, three games		
H. Stein, Spotweld	609	
Team high, single game		
Spotweld	963	
Team high, three games		
Spotweld	2617	
—High Averages—		
P. Laudenbach, Spotweld	184	62.3
H. Stein, Spotweld	225	69.4
P. Crabb, Accounting	225	69.4
P. Jans, Sheet Metal	225	69.4
A. Turner, Tool and Die	225	69.4
N. Warner, Tool and Die	225	69.4
N. Chomicki, Payroll	225	69.4
W. Ryan, Tool Inspection	225	69.4
W. Delevich, Spotweld	225	69.4
K. Watson, K-9	225	69.4
W. Pikus, Sheet Metal	225	69.4
A. Chomicki, Payroll	225	69.4
Stewart, Jig Dept.	225	69.4
FLEETWINGS VICTORY LEAGUE		
Jig Dept. (Plant 2)	Won	Lost
Receiving	20	20
Finishing	20	20
Fleetwings Flyers	20	20
Template Inspection	20	20
Fighters	20	20
Tool Control	20	20
Guards	20	20
Layout	20	20
BT-12	20	20
Arrows	20	20
Tool and Die (Plant 2)	20	20
Individual high, single game		
Gielow, Fighters	256	
Meinert, Fighters	256	
Individual high, three games		
Wack, Flyers	628	
Team high, single game		
Jig Department	998	
Team high, three games		
Flyers	2656	
—High Averages—		
T. Toet, Finishing	42	74.4
Wack, Flyers	41	73.5
Wack, Flyers	40	72.5
Cordisco, Finishing	40	72.5
Kramers, Tool Control	29	48.1
Chomicki, Temp. Ins.	28	46.6
Pfaffenrath, Flyers	20	49.6
Del Corso, Finishing	24	54.0
Meinert, Fighters	28	52.1
Delevich, Layout	28	52.1
Stewart, Jig Dept.	26	59.2

Schedule for Wednesday Night  
Jig Dept. and Receiving, Alleys 1 & 2  
Flyers and Fighters, Alleys 3 & 4  
Finishing and Template Insp.,  
Alleys 5 & 6  
BT-12 and Tool Control, Alleys 7 & 8  
Layout and Arrows, Alleys 9 & 10  
Tool & Die and Guards, Alleys 11 & 12

## BOWLING

ROHM & HAAS BOWLING LEAGUE			
Mah Office			
Yates	191	157	197-545
Schreiber	161	153	162-416
Hardie	136	134	166-426
Monahan	165	144	140-449
Speck	154	173	181-508
DeWitt	169	146	178-493
	815	773	884-2847

Fabricating			
Shire	138	212	207-557
Martindell	99	111	166-376
VanDine	103	163	127-393
Blind	126	144	162-442
Lamon	174	193	187-554
Handicap	8	22	17-47
	658	845	866-2369

Laboratory No. 7			
Kilian	157	150	172-479
Maughan	204	146	198-548
Lovett	126	132	192-486
Garrett	113	167	211-484
Beckworth	166	119	147-432
Pearson	151	183	153-497
Handicap	30	39	44-113
	834	801	935-2570

Plexiglas Office			
Pegley	202	123	11-478
Eagan	139	137	152-428
Turner	153	183	283-586
Byron	114	114	114-114
Errickson	141	206	161-508
Gavegan	181	156	155-492
Garr	180	146	152-478
	843	798	771-2412

Manufacturing			
Cox	137	140	157-434
Duerr	148	167	134-389
Davis	152	132	182-486
Garish	155	127	179-481
Martindell	154	130	128-412
Dilorenzo	144	111	111-255
Jeffries	99	99	99-99
Handicap	81	70	71-222
	834	706	851-2391

Stores			
Hunter	113	162	171-446
Angus	151	139	169-459
Byron	131	141	178-418
Schneider	125	140	123-390
Bromm	146	183	171-500
Stewart	168	136	155-459
	729	760	804-2303

Lethane			
Gilles	204	134	176-514
Burger	141	190	119-450
Polmer	151	134	138-426
Williams	160	135	145-440
Nicola	159	144	154-393
Vandegrift	188	149	171-508
Handicap	62	81	68-201
	906	838	842-2586

Plexigum			
Coleman	222	176	169-567
Moore	177	148	162-487
Armstrong	178	176	147-500
Norton	168	199	174-541
Blind	141	134	138-413
	886	833	790-2509

Plexiglas Reds			
Huth	158	156	160-474
Fahringer	142	176	172-490
Moss	184	168	154-506
Heritage	109	178	155-422
Fletcher	202	147	175-524
Handicap	22	3	3-28
	851	828	819-2498

Martin Shop			
Worthington	126	150	155-431
Ritter	119	129	104-352
Gerome	244	151	201-596
Winch	168	160	139-476
Blind	142	147	154-443
	739	746	758-2298

Machine Shop			
Tetterme	161	168	329
Thompson	128	128	128
Jennings	160	137	297
Mack	133	133	133
Killian	146	144	155-445
McNichol	130	130	130
Choma	99	99	99
Encke	174	173	176-523
Gillies	156	195	137-488
Handicap	32	4	4-40
	769	837	817-2423

Power Plant			
Dick	181	180	132-493
Benson	118	125	243
Yorty	168	142	310
Luke	112	141	253
Leadom	189	185	177-551
Bell	128	144	148-415
Foell	146	123	123-392
	762	802	735-2299

MAJOR LEAGUE			
Bailey's	135	165	162-462
Lynn	177	224	198-599
Bachser	167	157	180-514
Wichser	197	133	171-511
Palumbo	197	133	171-511
Robinson	173	188	158-519
	849	887	879-2595

Burlington			
VanSclver	156	133	289
Schroeder	115	115	115
Pletcher	166	186	220-572
Sutton	168	183	202-553
Shumard	199	180	182-571
Amisson	194	193	156-543
	842	898	893-2633

Diamond			
Pfaffenrath	199	188	202-589
Winch	175	135	310
Cahall	183	172	205-560
Dietrich	168	235	403
O'Boyle	203	169	180-552
Junio	193	152	345
	928	857	974-2759

Badenhausen			
Tullo	147	179	169-495
States	153	172	151-476
Leary	167	167	167
Kovach	186	165	166-517
Jones	199	193	157-549
Blind	135	152	287
	852	844	795-2491

Rohm & Haas			
Korkei	148	188	165-501

## INDIAN AIDE - - - - - By Jack Sords



**DEL BAKER,**  
FORMER DETROIT  
MANAGER, NOW A  
COACH - AND A BIG  
ASSET - TO THE  
CLEVELAND INDIANS

THANKS  
TO BAKER!

HE'S DOING A GREAT JOB  
WITH THE CLEVELAND  
PITCHING STAFF

**BASEBALL LEAGUE TO MEET**  
A meeting of the Bristol Twilight Baseball League will be held tonight at 7:30 o'clock in St. Ann's club-house.

**The War at A Glance**  
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line, troops of the U. S. Army 2nd Corps advanced to within 25 miles of Bizerte in their push toward Mateur, 12 miles beyond captured Djebel Nechar El Maza. The Americans encountered heaviest resistance near Sidi Bair, southwest of Mateur.

But the bitterest fighting occurred west of Tebourba, south of the Americans' battle sector. Here armored units of the British First Army battered back Nazi tank forces at Lake Kourzia, north of Bou Arada, gateway to the coastal plain before Tunis.

Other First Army units continued their advance from the Haidous area nearby, forcing the enemy to retire. French units were reported within five miles of strategic Pont du Fahs, road junction 35 miles southwest of Tunis, after capturing a number of prisoners and war material.

On the south, the British Eighth Army continued its assault on bitterly held German mountain defenses overlooking the coastal road to Tunis. In Russia, fighting in the Kuban Delta was confined to artillery duels as Soviet airmen assaulted German airbases. The Russian war spotlight shifted from the south to the northwest, where the Red Army threw back strong Nazi assaults in the Volkhov and Lake Ilmen sectors.

In the meantime, Polish ambassador Tadeusz Romer and his staff prepared to leave Kniyshyev, Russian wartime capital, as a result of Russia's action yesterday in severing diplomatic relations with the Polish government-in-exile at London. The Polish cabinet held an emergency meeting in London to determine its future course.

Democratic capitals strove to repair the damage inflicted on Allied unity but in his modest way he insists he didn't do anything to earn them. It did require, however, 200 hours of operational flight (and that meant intense fighting and facing enemy fire time and time again) to secure the Distinguished Flying Cross. The Air Medal is given for 100 hours of such service, and the Oak Leaf Cluster is for 300 hours of operational flight. When the order came through that all men in that area with 300 combat hours be given leaves of absence, Brown learned he was to have a trip home. He arrived here yesterday.

A graduate of Bristol high school, class of 1937, Sgt. Brown trained at Scott Field, Ill.; Tyndall Field, Fla.; and at Lakeland, Fla.

On the last day he spent in Africa he met Corp. Tech. Melvin Locke, of Edgely.

Several Bonds, Large Denominations, Sold  
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theatre performances in this area were urged to buy bonds, the necessity of such loans to the United States Government being stressed. Mrs. Leon Hutton, of Edgely, spoke at the Grand Theatre; Jacob C. Schmidt, Jr., at the Bristol Theatre; and James E. Harris, of Croydon, at the Ritz Theatre.

the charge, originating in Germany, that the Russians had slain 10,000 Polish army officers near Smolensk during the interim between the Russo-German partition of Poland and Germany's attack on Russia.

Russia's action in severing relations with the Polish emigre government was based on the allegation that the Poles, in asking the International Red Cross to investigate the atrocity charge without first consulting Russia, amounted to virtual conspiracy with Germany to accuse the Soviets unjustly. Russia maintains that the Polish Army men were slain by Germans after the Nazis invaded Russia.

On the Pacific war front, American planes supported Yankee ground troops fighting Japanese outpost forces at Mubo, New Guinea, by stranding the Japs' positions. No results of the action in the air or on the ground were disclosed. Our planes also again attacked enemy bases at Finschhafen and other points on New Guinea.

## Here and There In Bucks County Towns

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window been left open, this would not have happened.

Mrs. Yates was also informed another blast would take place, and she took the necessary precaution to avoid the shattering of more window panes. The Yates' residence is about 100 yards away from the line.

One of the most successful years in the history of Doylestown Moose Lodge has just been completed. At the annual installation of officers' ceremony Wednesday night, it was reported that in the very near future — probably within several months — there will be a mortgage-burning ceremony at the home, to which the 625 members will be invited. This means that the \$45,000 home of the Doylestown Moose is practically clear of debt, with only a very small mortgage remaining.

Much was accomplished during the past year under leadership of Ivey B. Estep, who has completed his year as governor of the local lodge. His board of officers has seen the membership of the lodge increase 130 during the year, to the present membership of 625.

Succeeding Estep as governor for the coming year is W. Earl Clevestine, Newtown.

Governor Clevestine and his officers were officially installed Wednesday night by Deputy Supreme Governor William O'Donnell and Robert J. Hulsbosser, of Lansdale.

CORVALLIS, Ore.—(INS)—A group of Oregon State University men and women who spent their spring vacation entertaining soldiers at camps in Oregon, Washington and British Columbia, made such a hit that they stayed an extra day in Canadian camps at the request of military officials. The students traveled in a college bus accompanied by two faculty members.

## Staff Sgt. G. Robert Brown Modest About His 35 Flights To Bomb Targets; and Crashes

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Distinguished Flying Cross,